

United States Air Force Auxiliary
Civil Air Patrol New Jersey Wing GROUP 223
<http://group223.njwg.cap.gov/>

Commanders Call
8 May 2008 at 2000hrs
NEXT Group Meeting: 12 June 2008

'Hot Items'

- o **PLEDGE** "As a Civil Air Patrol member I pledge to promote an uncompromising safety environment for myself and others, and to prevent the loss of, or damage to Civil Air Patrol assets entrusted to me. I will perform all my activities in a professional and safe manner, and will hold myself accountable for my actions in all of our Missions for America."
- o **SAFETY** (New Senior Member)
 - Discussion
- 2. REPORTS**
 - Commander Call down lists
- 3. AEROSPACE EDUCATION**
- o **CADET PROGRAMS** (Capt. Gordon-Lewis)
- 4. COMMUNICATIONS** (Maj Dean Kalousis)
- o Radio course ROA A/B 17 February 2007
- 5. EMERGENCY SERVICES** (Maj. Joe Pona/ 1Lt. Bill Pittenger)
- 6. LOGISTICS** (Lt.Col John O'Grady)
Vehicles Maintenance (busy season)
Equipment accountability
- 7. OPS** (Maj. Joe Pona)
 - SAREX
 - Call down list
 - Operational training
- 8. PERSONNEL** (Capt. Stacey Mickle)
 - Updated list
 - Membership/additional members

9. PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT
(LtCol. Herman Seeger)

10. PUBLIC AFFAIRS

- **Local papers**
- **Politicians**

11. Upcoming Event

War Birds at Solberg Airport
Category: Group
Region: NER
Wing: NJ
Event Focus: All
Contact: [Major Patrick Lott](#)
5/17/2008 - 5/17/2008
Location: Solberg Airport
Parking and perimeter security

NJ Wing All Commander's Call
Category: Wing
Region: NER
Wing: NJ
Event Focus: Other
Contact: [Lt Col Elizabeth Yull](#)
6/7/2008 - 6/7/2008
Location: Bldg 2610, McGuire AFB

Falcon Flight
Category: Encampment
Region: NER
Wing: NJ
Event Focus: Cadet
Contact: [Capt. William Ward](#)
6/21/2008 - 6/29/2008
Location: Lakehurst Navel Engineering Station Cadet Flight Training

Solberg Festival of Ballooning
Category: Wing
Region: NER
Wing: NJ
Event Focus: All
Contact: [2Lt Ron Hodlen](#)
7/25/2008 - 7/27/2008
Location: Solberg Airport - Readington, NJ

Promotion Review Board
Category: Wing
Region: NER
Wing: NJ
Event Focus: Senior
Contact: [Director of Personnel](#)
9/16/2008 - 9/16/2008
Location: NJW HQ at McGuire AFB

Promotion Review Board for Major and Lt Col

Meets at:
BOROUGH HALL ANNEX MAIN ST
SAYREVILLE NJ 08872

meets (on/at):
TUESDAY 1900

Unit Contact(s):
COMMANDER: Capt. Jose Avila
PHONE: (732) 585-9059
EMAIL: nj103@njwg.cap.gov

Unit Information for: NJ – 067 (Inspection Wednesday 4 June 2008)

Unit Name: **BAYSHORE COMPOSITE SQDN**

Mailing Address:
PO BOX 142
RUMSON NJ 07760

Meets at:
BLDG 1110
FT MONMOUTH NJ 07703

meets (on/at):
WEDNESDAY 1900

Unit Contact(s):
URL <http://bayshore.njwg.cap.gov/>
COMMANDER: Capt. Ulric Gordon-Lewis
PHONE: 9086750762
EMAIL: tech@emutek.com

Unit Information for: NJ - 107 (Inspection Monday 12 May 2008)

Unit Name: **DELAWARE VALLEY FLIGHT**

Mailing Address:
183 Rick Road
Milford NJ 08848

Meets at:
Whitehouse Station Fire Dept
271 Main Street
Whitehouse Station, NJ 08889

meets (on/at):
MONDAY 1900

Unit Contact(s):
COMMANDER: Capt. Shannon Bingert
PHONE: (908) 996-7617
EMAIL: shnin6@msn.com

Unit Information for: NJ – 103 (Inspection Tuesday 10 June 2008)

Unit Name: **GENERAL JIMMY STEWART COMPOSITE SQDN**

Mailing Address:
23-446 MADISON GARDENS RT.34
OLD BRIDGE NJ 08857

Unit Information for: NJ - 109 (Inspection Tuesday 3 June 2008)

Unit Name: **SOMERSET SENIOR SQDN**

Mailing Address:
57 Normandy Heights Rd
Morristown NJ 079604614

Meets at:
Somerset Airport Airport Road
Bedminster NJ 07921

meets (on/at):
TUESDAY 1900

Unit Contact(s):
COMMANDER: Lt Col William Waldron
PHONE: 9736266222
EMAIL: waldron@gti.net

Unit Information for: NJ - 102 (Inspection Tuesday 27 May 2008)

Unit Name: **PLAINFIELD CADET FLIGHT**

Mailing Address:
PO BOX 5236
SOMERSET NJ 08875

Meets at:
Plainfield High School 950 Park Ave
Plainfield NJ 07060

meets (on/at):
Tuesday 1900

Unit Contact(s):
COMMANDER: Maj Samuel Williamson
PHONE: 7325456176
EMAIL: swilliamson@lucent.com

Unit Information for: NJ – 003 (Inspection Wednesday 21 May 2008)

Unit Name: **RARITAN VALLEY COMPOSITE SQDN** Mailing Address:
430 S RANDOLPHVILLE RD
PISCATAWAY NJ 088544112

Meets at:
Central Jersey Regional Airport CAP Trailers
Manville NJ 08835

Unit Contact(s):
COMMANDER: Lt Col Henry Bruno
PHONE: (732) 981-0582
EMAIL: hankbruno@aol.com

meets (on/at):
WEDNESDAY 1930

Group 223 FY 2008 Goals

1. **Safety**—is everyone's number one priority. No safety incidents.
2. **Commitment, pride, duty**---to self organization and community.
3. **Cadet program**—Make it interesting and eventful. Increase the number of Cadets in Group 223 by 10 percent.
4. **Aerospace capabilities**---Education is key to a successful program. Increase the number of Aerospace activities by three.
5. **Senior program**—Ensure involvement and provide interesting classes for learning new ideas.
6. **Emergency Services**—increase the number of teams per squadron by one. Cadets seemed very interested; we need to understand how to draw in more senior members.
7. **Breadth and depth learning CAP**—focus on certain areas in CAP and broaden our knowledge but also add depth in a few areas so we are able to function efficiently and effectively.
8. **Professionalism**—keep emotions in check and take nothing personally. It isn't about you; it's about the cadets, the community, New Jersey, and the Nation.
9. **Excellence**—always do our best, it is the right thing.
10. **Motivation**—Stay positive. Explain how it can be done, and not why it can't be done. Positive attitude is key, share it.
11. **Participation**—Do our best to participate in Group and Wing activities. Increase our level of participation in Wing events by 2 per squadron. Include all squadrons to participate in our Group activities. We learn together, we perform better.

